

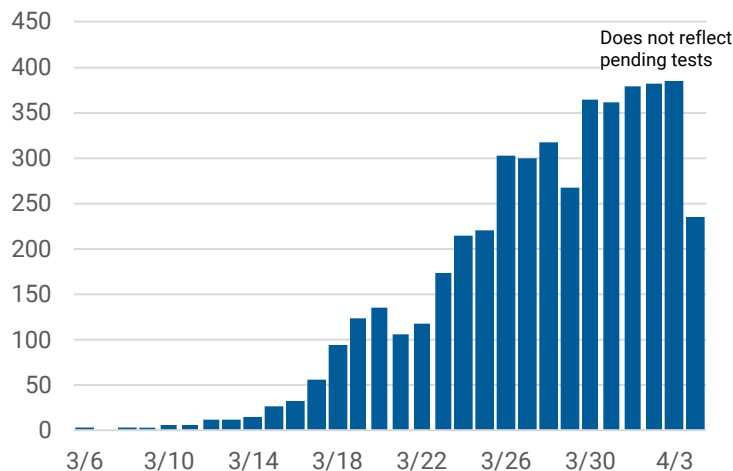


# CHICAGO COVID-19 UPDATE

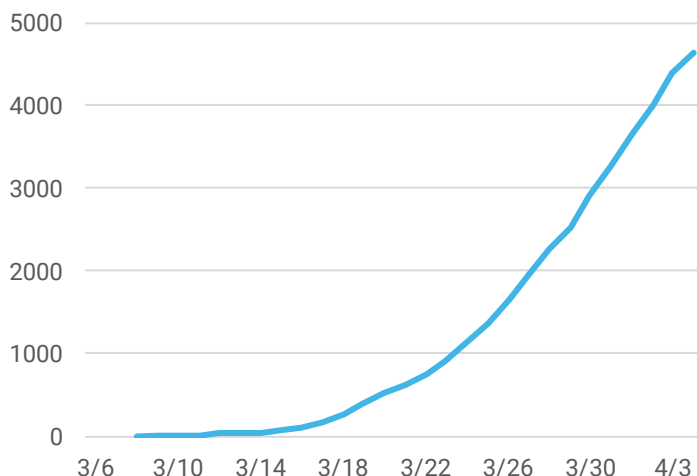
April 5, 2020

**There are 4,680 cases of COVID-19 and 98 deaths among Chicago residents as of April 5, 2020.**  
**This is an increase of 281 cases since yesterday.**

Confirmed daily COVID-19 cases



Confirmed cumulative COVID-19 cases



Daily and cumulative coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) cases reported for Chicago residents with known laboratory report date. Results for several previous days are updated each day. Note, there was one case of COVID-19 reported in January 2020 that is not included in the daily counts.

## COVID-19 Morbidity and Mortality by Geography

GEOGRAPHY	CASES <sup>1</sup>	DEATHS	PLACES
Chicago	4,680	98	NA
Illinois ( <a href="#">IDPH link</a> )	11,256	274	71/102 COUNTIES
U.S. ( <a href="#">JHU link</a> )	331,151	9,441	50/50 STATES
World ( <a href="#">WHO link</a> )	1,136,851	62,955	208/251 COUNTRIES

## COVID-19 Case Characteristics for Chicago residents

CHARACTERISTIC	% TOTAL CASES <sup>1</sup>
Age	
0-17	1.1%
18-59	69.8%
60+	29.0%
Under investigation	0.1%
Median	49 years
Gender	
Female	48.2%
Male	50.8%
Under investigation	1.0%
Hospitalizations <sup>2</sup>	
Never hospitalized	56.4%
Ever hospitalized <sup>3</sup>	43.6%
Hospitalizations by age group	
0-17	0.4%
18-59	44.0%
60+	55.6%

## COVID-19 Death Characteristics for Chicago residents

CHARACTERISTIC	DEATHS	% DEATHS WITHIN ROW GROUP
Chicago	98	2.1%
Age		
0-17	1	2.0%
18-59	27	0.8%
60+	70	5.2%
Gender		
Female	36	1.6%
Male	62	2.6%

<sup>1</sup>Does not include persons with pending COVID-19 tests or persons with COVID-19 related illness who have not been tested.

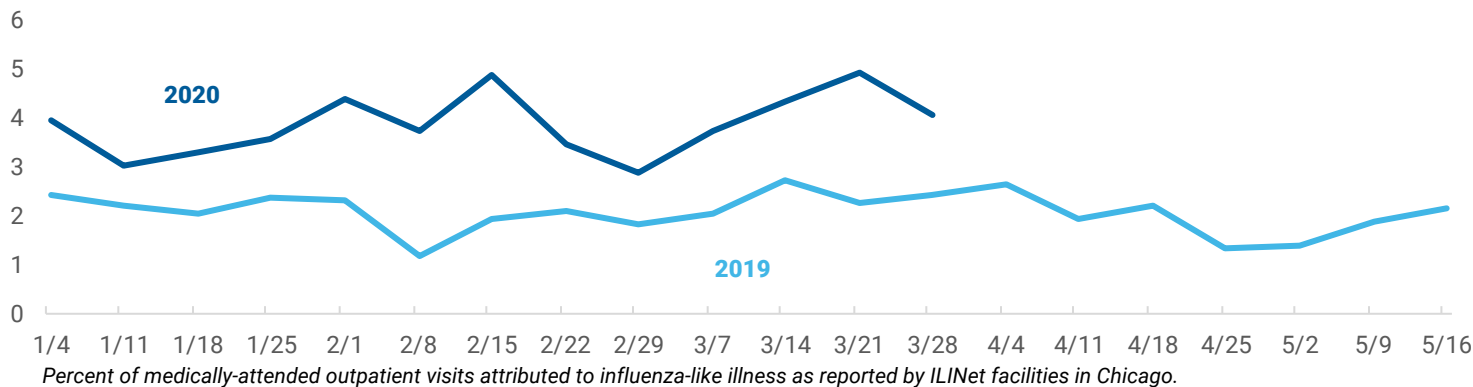
<sup>2</sup>Among those with known hospitalization status.

<sup>3</sup>Ever hospitalized, even if discharged.

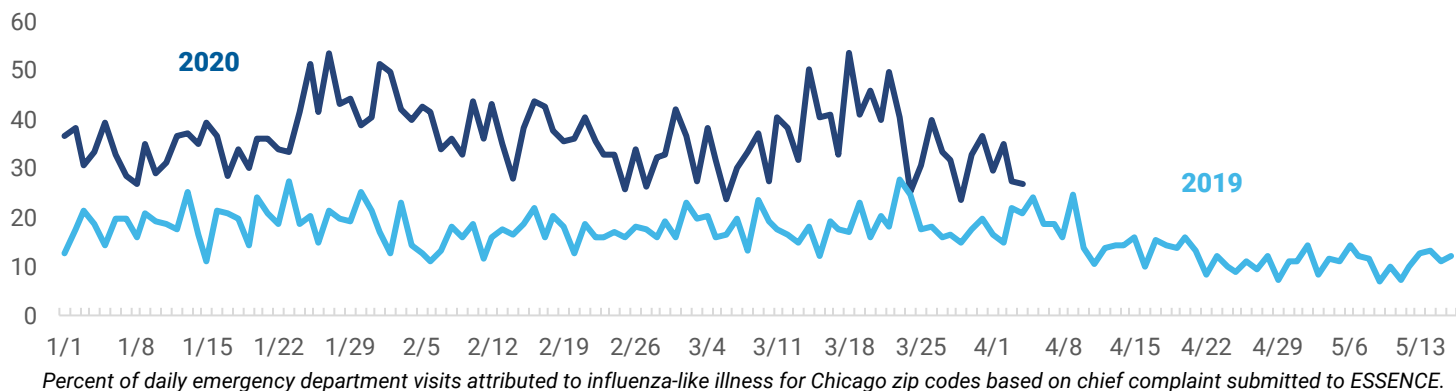
**COVID-19 symptoms are similar to those of influenza, so monitoring influenza-like illness (ILI) may also help identify COVID-19. ILI activity in 2020 that is higher than what was experienced in 2019 could indicate the presence of COVID-19 in the community.**

Annual influenza surveillance conducted by CDPH includes information on outpatient visits to health care providers for ILI. ILI is defined as fever (temperature of 100°F [37.8°C] or greater) and a cough and/or a sore throat without a known cause other than influenza. Emergency department (ED) visits for ILI are reported through a surveillance system called ESSENCE that captures the chief complaints of patients. Because persons over age 65 are at higher risk of severe illness due to COVID-19, we are also specifically monitoring the ED visits of older adults.

**Percent of weekly outpatient visits at reporting providers due to influenza-like illness in Chicago among all age groups, 2020 vs. 2019**



**Percent of daily emergency department (ED) visits due to influenza-like illness in Chicago among all age groups, 2020 vs. 2019**



**Percent of daily emergency department (ED) visits due to influenza-like illness in Chicago among persons aged 65+, 2020 vs. 2019**

